FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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MCDONALD PATRICK L (Month/E			Date of Event equiring Staten Month/Day/Year 2/23/2007	nent	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol POWELL INDUSTRIES INC [POWL]							
(Last) P.O. BOX 128 (Street) HOUSTON (City)	(First) 118 TX (State)	(Middle) 77217 (Zip)				tionship of Reporting Person call applicable) Director Officer (give title below) President & Co	10% Own Other (spe below)	er	(Mon	nth/Day/Year) dividual or Joint icable Line) Form filed by	Acte of Original Filed //Group Filing (Check y One Reporting Person y More than One erson	
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned												
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)						int of Securities ially Owned (Instr. 4)			4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾						137.15	I		ESOP Shares			
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)												
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) 2. Date Exercisable Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			ate	Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) Convo		Conve or Exe	rcise Form:		6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	n Title	3	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivation Securi	tive	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Mr. McDonald was appointed as President and Chief Operating Officer of the Company on February 23, 2007. A Form 3 inadvertently was not filed at that time. He was appointed as a director on June 2, 2009.

Remarks:

Don R. Madison, Power of Attorney for Patrick L.

06/10/2008

McDonald.

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

 $Reminder: Report \ on \ a \ separate \ line \ for \ each \ class \ of \ securities \ beneficially \ owned \ directly \ or \ indirectly.$

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (b)(v).
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